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WATER PURIFICATION METHOD INCLUDING THE  
REGENERATION OF USED COAGULENT

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Foreign Patent Documents

Document No.	Date	Country	Class Subclass	Translation Yes No
WO 94/00394	1/94	PCT/AU93/00281		
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2002-066375	3/02	Japan Abstract		
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